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Development (1944) Department.

Ms. SERIES.

G.O. No. 4690

Dated 2nd November 1944

[Despatch Abstract.]

Establishment - temporary -
South Kanara district - Prevention
of smuggling of rice - Staff -
Sanctioned

Dem. No 49409 F. I. Misc 258-44 Surveys
Civil Supplies - Paddy and Rice - Smuggling -
out of South Kanara - Report.

The Board is requested to report whether the smuggling of paddy and rice, if any, by country craft etc from S. Kanara to N. Kanara or to Mysore has been stopped. The Govt consider that an effective control over the production movement of paddy and rice in S. Kanara should be a sufficient basis.

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To the Board (21)

UNDER SECRETARY
26 SEP 1944
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

REVENUE DEPARTMENT (Civil Supplies) 56060

Subject.

CIVIL SUPPLIES - Paddy and Rice - Smuggling out of South Kanara District - Preventive measures - Appointment of Special staff - Sanction - Requested

Board's Ref.4483-A1/44-4. Dated 25-9-1944.

FROM

A.F.W.DIXON ESQ., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Civil Supplies.

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I.RHYS JONES ESQ., I.C.S.,
Joint Secretary to the Commissioner of Civil Supplies

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REFERENCE: 1. From the Government, Development Department, Memo No.49409-F.I/44-1, Dated 25-8-1944.
2. Board's Ref.4483-A1/44-1, Dated 29-8-1944.
3. From the Collector of South Kanara, Ref. No.8410-WS-44, Dated 9-9-1944.

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The Board submits a copy of the letter from the Collector of South Kanara cited above in continuation of its reference 4483-A1/44-2, dated 13-9-1944 and recommends the proposals made therein.

2. The Board considers that this large staff needs centralised supervision directly under the Collector, as otherwise the money spent on it will be wasted. It is ~~imp~~important that this organisation should work efficiently if the leakage of foodgrains from South Kanara District is to stop. The Board therefore considers that a special Inspector of the status of an Inspector of Police with two orderlies to work under him will be necessary to supervise effectively the work of the patrol staff and requests that the Inspector General of Police may be asked to spare a suitable officer. The pay and special pay of the officer may be fixed at the rates recommended by the Inspector General of Police.

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3. The above staff may be sanctioned from date of appointment till 31-3-1945 or till the necessity for it ceases, whichever is earlier.

4. In para 8 of his letter, the Collector has proposed that the South Kanara Central Cooperative Stores may be permitted to add one anna per mura to the selling price of rice and that the amount may be credited to Government to cover the expenditure incurred by Government on the special staff employed in the District for the prevention of smuggling. The Board considers that in view of the behaviour of the district in the matter of smuggling, it is not unreasonable to make the district pay for the Staff. It therefore supports the Collector's proposal.

5. In his letter 3rd cited above, the Collector of South Kanara has stated that small fishing boats take off from any part on the sea-coast for fishing operations and that transport of rice in these boats should be watched. The Board suggests that the system of registering and numbering of all boats and checking them as is in force in the Tanjore District, may be adopted in South Kanara also to check country crafts unauthorisedly carrying foodgrains. The same procedure has been suggested for Ramnad and Tinnevelly Districts, in Board's Ref.No.2737-A1/44-5, dated 6-9-1944.

6. The Board requests for immediate orders in the matter.

JOINT SECRETARY

To The Additional Secretary to Government,
Development Department, Madras (with encl.)

Copy to Collector, South Kanara.

Home Dept. I
ENST. No. 30765 k/44-1 2.5.10.44
Referred to the Inspector-General of Police for very early remarks.

ASRK.25/9.

To the Inspector-General

STATEMENT SHOWING THE MONTHLY COST OF THE PREVENTIVE STAFF IN THE SOUTH KANARA DISTRICT.

Name of the post	Monthly pay	Dearness allowance	F.T.A.	Total of cols.2, 3 and 4.	Number to be appointed.	Total monthly expenditure.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
COST OF THE EXISTING ESTABLISHMENT ALREADY SANCTIONED.							
Chowkidars	12	10	..	22	29	638 0 0	
COST OF THE ESTABLISHMENT APPLIED FOR IN COLLECTOR'S LETTER REF: NO.2410-W.5-44, DATED 3-9-1944.							
Police Constables	16	10		26	6	156 0 0	
Revenue Peons.	12	10		22	6	132 0 0	
COST OF THE ADDITIONAL ESTABLISHMENT NOW APPLIED FOR.							
1 Revenue Inspectors	30	10	39 .6 0	79/6	3	238 2 0	
2 Peons for Rev. Inspectors	12	10	10 8 0	32/8	3	97 8 0	
15 Police Constables	16	10	..	26	9	234 0 0	
4 Revenue Peons	12	10	..	22	9	198 0 0	
4 Chowkidars	12	10	..	22	4	88 0 0	
16 Village menials	15	..	..	15	81	1,215 0 0	
					T o t al	2996 10 0	

S.T.25/9/44.

Copy of letter No.8410-W5-44, dated 9th Sept.1944 from the Collector of South Kanara to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Madras.

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Sub: CIVIL SUPPLIES - Paddy and rice - Smuggling out of South Kanara Dt. - Report submitted.
Ref: Board's Ref.No.4483-A1-44, dated 29th Aug.44.
Your D.O. No.4608-A3-44-3, dated 6-9-1944.

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Enquiry discloses beyond doubt that the present scarcity of rice in this district is very largely due to the smuggling of rice outside this district. Rice has been smuggled on a very large scale from the Ports of Coondapur, Udipi and Mangalore taluks - from the first two taluks to North Kanara, Bombay and Goa, and from the limits of the third taluk ~~mostly~~ to ~~Malabar~~ Persia, Arabia and other places by Arabian vessels. There has been a large scale smuggling from Kasaragod taluk mostly to Malabar and to Arabian vessels. There has also been smuggling of rice to Mysore. Though it is difficult to estimate even approximately the quantity so smuggled, it is admitted on all hands that the drain has been enormous. As observed by you in your above D.O., it is imperative that this smuggling should be effectively prevented if this district should become at least self-sufficient if not a surplus district.

2. The most important thing to do is to prevent the smuggling by sea. Confidential enquiry reveals that the subordinates of the Port and the Customs Departments have been conniving at this illicit smuggling. Though the efforts of the Police and myself during the last 3 or 4 months to find out the necessary material to prosecute at least a few have been in vain, still there is ground to believe that the subordinates of these two departments have been misbehaving considerably. I would therefore request that the superior Officers of the Port and the Customs Departments be specially requested to intensify their supervision over the conduct of these subordinates in the coming season of sea traffic. If a subordinate or two of these Departments could be handled sternly, it will have a salutary effect. I would suggest that the C.I.D. may be requested to make special arrangements to watch the ~~work~~ subordinates of the Ports and Customs in this district.

3. The second step to take is to appoint a small preventive staff in each of the Ports in the district. So far as the Port of Mangalore is concerned, I have already submitted for sanction proposals in consultation with the Dt. Superintendent of Police and the Port and Customs Officers in my reference No.8410-W5-44 dated 3-9-44. I submit further proposals in regard to the following ports:- Kasaragod in Kasaragod taluk, Mulki in Mangalore taluk, Malpe and Hungarkatta in Udipi taluk and Gangolli and Baindur in Coondapur taluk. Malpe, Hungarkatta and Gangolli are fairly big ports from which, enquiry reveals, that a good deal of smuggling has been going on. It is necessary that more effective watch is kept in these three places. I recommend the appointment of two constables and two peons for each of these three ports. The other three ports are comparatively minor and it is enough to appoint one constable and one peon for these three ports. The constable and peon will patrol during nights as smuggling generally take place during nights. The peons will work under the control of the Revenue Department, and the constables will work under the control of the Police Department in all these cases.

4. Besides these patrols in each port, it appears necessary to watch the movements of rice throughout the entire length of the coast, as small fishing boats take off from any part of the coast. For this purpose it is proposed to appoint a village menial

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for every village touching the coast. There are 81 such coastal villages and it is proposed to appoint 81 village menials mostly drawn from the Fishermen community to work under the concerned Potail to watch not only the movements along the coast but also on the coastal road from which rice is taken to the coast. This provides completely for preventing smuggling by sea.

5. Then remains the question of land frontiers. There are 15 chowkies on the land frontiers, - 3 in Coondapur taluk, 1 in Karkal taluk, 3 in Puttur taluk and 8 in Kasaragod taluk. The drain through the land frontiers of Kasaragod taluk has been enormous in the past. In view of the introduction of rationing in the Malabar district, it is likely that there will be a good deal of smuggling yet along the frontier from this district to Malabar, and this has to be closely guarded. The Government have already sanctioned 29 chowkidars for all these chowkies, and sanction for their extension for another six months is being applied for separately. The number of chowkidars at present in 4 of the chowkies in Kasaragod taluk is only one. It is necessary to make the number at least two in these places. Therefore 4 more chowkidars will be necessary. This may be sanctioned.

6. Now there is no effective check and supervision over the work of these chowkidars except by the firka Revenue Inspector, the Tahsildar and the Deputy Tahsildar concerned whose visits must necessarily be very rare. This is not conducive to effective prevention. I recommend that a Special Revenue Inspector may be sanctioned, one for Kasaragod, one for Puttur and one for Coondapur taluks with a peon each for the purpose of exercising control over these chowkidars and also for exclusively watching smuggling and illicit transport of rice and paddy.

7. A statement of cost involved is enclosed for favour of sanction. The staff may be sanctioned for a period of six months from 16-10-44.

8. It appears to me absolutely unnecessary that the cost of this establishment as well as that of the chowkidars should be borne by Government. The South Kanara Central Co-operative Stores has been approved as the wholesale agency for procurement of rice in this district. It has opened several branches both for reception and distribution of rice throughout the district and is paying enormous charges for its establishment. As all these effective preventive measures will enable the said Stores to collect and distribute several additional thousands of muras of rice to the public, the profit earned by the Stores thereby can be made available for meeting the charges of this preventive staff. I have consulted the President of the Stores, and he readily agrees to it. This will involve only the addition of a profit of not more than an anna on each mura. This is quite inconsiderable when it is remembered that the public are getting the rice at bare cost price plus a nominal profit to the S.Kanara Central Stores. This will be extremely negligible by way of an addition on the public. The charges may be paid by Government in the first instance and a corresponding amount will be credited to Government by the S.K. Central Cooperative Wholesale Stores towards an appropriate head. This should solve the financial burden of the Scheme. Whether the financial levy is accepted by Government or not, the preventive staff is quite essential to make this district self-sufficient. By such careful arrangements it might be possible to tap some surplus from this district for other districts.

/True copy/

Special Misc. at once

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Dev. Department.

Establishment - Temporary - S.Kanara district - Prevention of smuggling of rice - Staff - Sanctioned.

G.O.No.Ms. 4690 dated 2nd November ~~October~~ 1944.

Read the following:

From the Board of Revenue (C.S) No.4483 AI/44-4 dated 25th September 1944.

Sanction is accorded to the employment of the following additional staff in South Kanara district from date of appointment till 31st March 1945 or till the necessity for the staff ceases, whichever is earlier, for the prevention of smuggling of rice from the district :-

(1) Three L.D. clerks on Rs.30-55 scale plus the usual dearness allowance and a F.T.A. of Rs.39-6-0 p.m. each.

(2) Three peons on Rs.12-17 p.m. each plus the usual dearness allowance and a F.T.A of Rs.10-8-0 p.m. each.

(3) Nine peons on Rs.12-17 p.m. each plus the usual dearness allowance.

(4) Four Chowkidars on Rs.12/- p.m. each plus the usual dearness allowance.

(5) Eightyone village menials on Rs.15/- p.m. each.

2. The expenditure on the staff sanctioned in paragraph 1 above should be debited to "64-B - Civil Defence Section IV Expenditure borne wholly by the Provincial Government - C.Miscellaneous - A.Establishment for price control - 1 Board of Revenue".

3. The South Kanara Central Co-operative Stores will be permitted to add a surcharge of one anna per mura to the present rate at which it is selling rice to the retailers and consumers so as to cover the expenditure incurred by the Government on the Special Staff sanctioned in para 1 above. The proceeds of the surcharge should be credited to the Government as receipts under the head "LII-B - Civil Defence - Section IV - Miscellaneous" at the end of every month.

4. The Accountant General is requested to admit the expenditure in audit, pending provision of funds.

5. The Board is requested to furnish at the end of

the current year, or when applying for further extension of the staff a statement showing the amount realized and credited to the Government on account of the surcharge and the expenditure incurred by the Government on account of the staff including leave and pensionary charges.

To the Bd. of Rev.(C.S)
Collector of S.Kanara
A.G. thr. Fin.
Copy to Home Dept. with a copy of the notes on pp.1-3 and of pp-3-8 p.f.
F-II Section
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Note file

Food situation in S. Kanara

AS would like to see the reports from Ad & Collector on this. He wants to know if smuggling has been stopped (by enforcement of N. Kanara or whether) the effects of shortage of food in S. Kanara will be a source of smuggling. Put up the papers in this subject

27/8/44

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The note on the food situation in S. Kanara dt. submitted by the Coll. will be found at p. 47-52 ante.

(S) 6718/FI/44 & 18.3.44. Extracts from the Collr's fortnightly reports on the food situation are at (V). As regards smuggling no papers are available. It is for orders whether the Bd. may be consulted.

May be consulted Cm 28/8

N. PINK

Cm 24/8/44 Cm 24.8.44 Ad. Sec. 24/8/44

Ask for a report at my place

24/8/44

A draft O/L is submitted below for approval

Issue today.

25/8/44 25/8/44

[Issued as O.D. 29409 FI/44 dt 25-8-44]

C 5600/80 FI/44 From the Bd of Rev (C) No. 4483 A1/44-6 dt 25-8-44

Submitted for perusal & sig. 3-8-44.

The Collr. of S. Kanara admits of the existence

of smuggling arms from different parts of the dt.
The Collr. has suggested the appointment of the
following staff :-

9 Police constables, 3 Rev. Inspectors, 12 peons,
4 Chowkidars & 8 village menials.

The Bd. of Rev. (Cs) has recommended the appointment
of one Inspector of Police & two orderlies also for supervising the staff engaged on prevention of smuggling.

The Collr. has suggested and the Bd. has recommended
that the pay of the staff to be appointed for the prevention
of smuggling may be received from the S. Kanara central
Cooperative Stores & that the Stores may be permitted
to ~~charge~~ add one anna per seer to the selling price
of rice. It is for orders whether the proposal with the
accepted.

The Collr. has suggested that the cooperation of the
Port of Customs depts of the C. I. D. may be invited to put
down Commissaries & the subordinates at smuggling.
The Bd. has also suggested the system of registering of numbers allotted
Home & P. W. D. may take extracts for further action.
Fin may see the draft ords for acceptance.

A. Yes. But it is not necessary
to have Rev. Inspectors (with
Survey & qualifications) for this
work. C. I. D. clerks will do.

Ad. Sec. 3 x 44

Home & Dept.

The case has been sent to this Dept. with Ref. to A above.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
4-OCT 1944
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has to.
A reference may be made to the I.G.
A draft END. is Subd. on p. 4 c. F. Abo
wise) the Case may be passed on to
P. W. D.

Rp 4.10.44 Secl 4.10pm

Issued as END.
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Home u.o. 30965 K/44-2
5.10.44

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Extract Speech 5. on Page
Question Taken pr. pr. Meeting
Re the may be passed on to Fin

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Finance (E.II).

At the instance of A.4 the Board has submitted proposals for the employment of the staff referred to at A up to 31-3-45, on page 5 C.F./for the prevention of smuggling of rice from the South Kanara Dt.

in the same manner

~~from the S. Kanara Central Cooperative Stores~~ and crediting to "XLVII B: C.D - Section IV-Mis" & XLIV Receipts in aid of Superannuation" respectively.

~~2. In order to restrict the expenditure,~~

2. The S. Kanara Central Cooperative Stores will be permitted to add four annas a surcharge of per mura to the present rate at which it is selling rice to the retailers & consumers. The proceeds of this surcharge shall be utilised to

4. The Ag. is requested to admit the expr. in Audit, pending provision of funds.

To
The Bd & Rev (CS)
The Collr. of S. Kanara
The Ag. Thro. Fin.
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reduce the expr. on staff sanctioned in para 1 above.

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The extra cost involved is Rs.22,972 per annum. It is also proposed that the South Kanara Central Co-operative Stores may be permitted to add one anna per mura to the selling price of rice and that the amount may be credited to the Government to cover the expenditure incurred on the employment of the special staff for the prevention of smuggling - please see para 4 on page 4 C.F. It is not known what amount will be realised by way of surcharge. Development support the proposal and Finance may also agree.

2 Expenditure on similar preventive staff in other districts is not recovered by a surcharge. But the intention in the case of the South Kanara district is that the expenditure should be recovered - see para 8 on page 8 C.F. and para 4 on page 4 C.F. The Board may therefore be requested to furnish at the end of the current year or when applying for further extension of the staff, a statement showing the amount realised and credited to Government on account of surcharge by the South Kanara Co-operative Stores and the expenditure incurred by Government on account of staff including leave and pensionary charges.

3 Paras 2 and 3 of the draft order

(1) There is no indication as to when the surcharge of one anna collected by the South Kanara Central Co-operative Stores should be credited to the Government. It is not possible to give credit on each transaction. It may be prescribed that the surcharge proceeds should be remitted every month or at shorter intervals if possible.

(2) The surcharge collections are proposed to be taken in reduction of charges under "64-B, Section IV, leave and pension contribution being credited to the relevant receipt heads. The recoveries in this case are from a private body and recoveries from private bodies should generally be taken as receipts. Besides the recovery is not in terms of pay, leave and pension charges as from a foreign employer. The simplest course is to credit the proceeds of the surcharge as receipts under LII-B. Civil Defence - Section IV.

With reference to the remarks above, pencil amendments are suggested to the draft order.

4. Financial procedure. The extra cost involved exceeds the limit of Rs.5,000 per annum. Development may be requested to

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follow the 'new service procedure'.

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Thro Accts (B)
12.10.44

If Govt are supplying the rice to the Central Co-operative Stores, the one anna may be added on to the price as cost price to the Stores.

Govt are not supplying rice, so this does not arise now. It could be done if Govt procurement is introduced there at any time.

Dept

UNDER SECRETARY
18 OCT 1944
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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Please Revt. Note to go in 17th

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(Previous notes need not be read).

At the instance of Govt the Bd was consulted as to whether smuggling of foodgrains from S. Kanara dt stopped. The Bd admitted the existance of smuggling & proposed the strengthening of the preventive staff by the appointment of the following addl staff:- (18)

(1) Three Revenue Inspectors (2) Twelve peons (3) Four Chowkidars (4) 81 village menials (5) Nine Police Constables (6) One Inspector of Police and (7) Two Orderlies.

This Dept is concerned with the appointment of the first four items of Home will be taking action regarding the rest of the items. The Bd has proposed, that in order to meet the cost of the extra staff, the Wholesale Co-operative Stores may be permitted to add one anna more to the selling price of rice sold by it and to credit the amount to the Govt, the Stores are in charge of the procurement of the surplus in the dt. Govt have accepted the draft order below subject to certain Corrections made in pencil.

The cost of the addl staff amounts to Rs 2,972 per annum. It is for orders whether

M at p1 above

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p 3-4 ct

R at 1/2 above

para 4 at p4

p 3-6 above

B at 1.5 ct

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the proposals will be approved.

Draft order below has been revised as suggested in Fin. Dept's note. The proposals have been accepted by Finance. Draft order explains itself and may be approved.

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A fully needed measure of control, now in fact about 2 years over-due. Page 7 & 8 of explan. & draft may be approved

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Continue on Note

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1/11/44

[Issued as Govt No. 4690 dated 2-11-44]

With reference to para 5 of the Govt at p. 9-10 of, a CB. entry may be made against 10-4-1945.

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OM. No. 70808 ET/MM-2 Dt. 4-11-44

Establishment- Temporary S. Kanara Dt- Prevention of smuggling of rice - Extra staff

Ref: Lr. No. Ms. 4690 Dev. Dt 2-11-44

Lr No Ms. 3440 Home Dt 23-11-44

The Bd. of Rev (CS) is requested to examine and report whether the surcharge of one anna per mura of rice permitted to be collected by the S. Kanara Central Cooperative Stores, in the Lrs. first referred to above, will cover the cost of the entire addl. staff sanctioned in the two Lrs. quoted above.

To the Bd of Rev (CS)

Secy

J.H.

No 70808 FI/44-3 Dt 2-1-45

From the Dist Govt. To the Ft. Sec-to-Govt.

~~Govt Egyptian Rice S Kanavadi~~
Establishment - Temporary - S. Kanavadi -
Prevention of smuggling of rice - Extra ~~staff~~.

Ref:- Memo. No 70808 FI/44-2 Secy. Dt 4.12.44

Please state when the report called for in the memo cited may be expected

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE (CIVIL SUPPLIES) CHEPAUK, M A D R A S.

Lost copy of the Telephonic Message dated 10/1/45. 8080 C 2737

From the Jt. Secretary to the Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Chepauk, Madras.

To the Under Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras.

No. 6205:44-A.I-6.Cs. dated 10th January 1945.

Sub: Establishment - Temporary - South Kanara District. Prevention of smuggling of rice - Extra staff.

Ref: Telephonic Message dated 2nd January 1945.

The Board's report will be submitted shortly.

Jt. Secretary.

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT. 12 JAN 45 DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Post copy in confirmation.
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Submitted for perusal
The report may be awaited till the 23rd, Tuesday
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5 orders from J.M. — new

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No 70808 F-I/44-4 Dy. 23-1-45

From the Ds. to Govt. To the I.T. Services.

Establishment - Temporary - S. Kanara dt - Prevention of Smuggling Srvce - Extra Staff.

Ref your TM No 6205/Ele A1-38/10-1-45 [illegible]

Kindly Please expedite the Report promised in the T.M. cited

P.C dfsd Govt/11

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Civil Supplies

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Establishment - Temporary - South Kanara district - Prevention of smuggling of rice - Extra staff.

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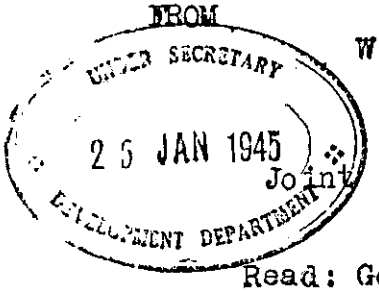

W. SCOTT BROWN ESQ., C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Civil Supplies

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I. RHYS JONES ESQ., I.C.S.,
Joint Secretary to the Commissioner of Civil Supplies.

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Read: Government Memo No.70808-F.1/44, dated 4-12-44.

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The Board submits herewith a copy of the letter from the Collector of South Kanara No.C.8410.W-5-44, dated 22-12-44 on the subject. The surcharge of Re. 0-1-0 per mura is expected to cover the cost of the extra staff sanctioned in G.O.'s Nos.Ms.4690 Development, dated 2-11-44 and 3440 Home, dated 23-11-44. As the Financial effect depends upon the actual quantity of rice procured, the real position can be known only after the actuals for the financial year are reviewed.

Joint Secretary.

To the Additional Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras with a copy of the letter from the Collector of South Kanara.
Copy to the Collector of South Kanara.

SKM-24.1.

Copy of letter No.C.No.8410-W.5-44, dated 22-12-44 from the Collector of South Kanara to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Board of Revenue, Madras.

Establishment - Temporary - South Kanara District - prevention of smuggling of rice - extra staff - Information - Furnished.

Board's Ref.No.6205/44-A.I.(CS), dated 16-12-1944.

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The total monthly cost of the temporary establishments sanctioned in G.O.No.4690, Dev., dated 2-11-1944 and in G.O.No.3440 Home, dated 23-11-1944 comes to Rs.2817-12-0. In my letter Ref.No. 8410-W.5-44, dated 9-9-1944 to the Board, I had proposed that the cost of the additional establishment including that of the 29 chowkidars (sanctioned in B.P.Rout.No.1049 CS., dated 22-9-1944) might be collected from the S.K.C.C.W. Stores, Ltd., Mangalore, by the levy of surcharge of one anna per mura. Besides the temporary staff proposed by me in my letter Ref.No.8410-W.5-44, dated 9-9-1944, the Government have, in G.O.No.3440, Home dated 23-11-1944, sanctioned one Temporary Inspector of Police, III Grade and two temporary constables (Orderlies) on the recommendation of the Board contained in para 2 of its reference No.4483-A.1/44-4, dated 25th September 1944 and 9 Police Constables and 9 Revenue ~~Inspectors~~ Peons instead of the 6 Police Constables and 6 Revenue Peons proposed by me for the Mangalore Port Area. A statement showing the cost of the establishments sanctioned for the prevention of smuggling is enclosed. The total annual cost of the staff sanctioned in G.O.No.4690, Development, dated 2-11-1944 and G.O.No.3440, Home, dated 23-11-1944 comes to Rs.33813/-. The total cost of the entire staff including the 29 temporary Chowkidars comes to Rs.41469/- per annum.

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2. During the rainy season (from 1-6-1945 to 30-9-1945) covering period of four months in the year, only the 33 chowkidars employed on the land frontiers will have to be retained and all the other staff will have to be disbanded. There will thus be a savings of Rs.10919 (Rs.2817-12-0 X 4) on the annual cost of Rs.41469/- referred to in para 1, and the actual expenditure which will have to be incurred during the year will be Rs.30550/-.

B

3. The total quantity of rice, which is expected to be procured and delivered to the stores in this district may be estimated at 6,00,000 muras. The surcharge on this quantity at one anna per mura comes to Rs.37,500/-. The annual cost of the preventive temporary staff sanctioned by the Government in the two G.Os. referred to above and also that of the 29 chowkidars sanctioned by the Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies), in its proceedings Rout.No.1049 (CS) dated 22-9-1944 can be met from the surcharge at one anna per mura of rice permitted to be collected by the S.K.C.C. Stores, Ltd., Mangalore.

C

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Statement showing the monthly expenditure of the preventive staff sanctioned in South Kanara District ~~from~~ for Anti-smuggling duty.

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Name of the post	Monthly Pay	Dearness Allowance or War Allowance	Special Pay	F.T.A. or Uniform allowance	Total	Numbers to be appointed	Total monthly Expenditure
A. TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT SANCTIONED IN G.O.NO.4690 DEVELOPMENT DATED 2nd NOVEMBER 1944.							
L.D.Clerks - 30--55	30 0 0	10 0 0		39 6 0	79 6 0	3	Rs 238 2 0
Peons for Rs.12--17	12 0 0	10 0 0		10 8 0	32 8 0	3	97 8 0
Revenue Peons 12--17	12 0 0	10 0 0			22 0 0	9	198 0 0
Chowkidars	12 0 0	10 0 0			22 0 0	4	88 0 0
Village menials	15 0 0				15 0 0	81	215 0 0
							Rs 1836 10 0
B. TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT SANCTIONED IN G.O. No.3440, Home, dated 23rd NOVEMBER 194							
Police Constables	16 0 0	10 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 0	28 8 0	9	256 8 0
Revenue Peons	12 0 0	10 0 0			22 0 0	9	198 0 0
Police Constables	16 0 0	10 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 0	28 8 0	6	171 0 0
-do-	16 0 0	10 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 0	28 8 0	3	85 8 0
							Rs 711 0 0
C. Inspector of Police: III Grade	150 0 0	19 6 0	25 0 0	18 12 0	213 2 0	1	213 2 0
Police Constables Orderlies	16 0 0	10 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 0	28 8 0	2	57 0 0
							270 2 0
						Total	2817 12 0

A plus B: Total for the year -- Rs 33813 0 0

D. TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT SANCTIONED IN B.P.RT.1049 (CS), dated 22-9-1944.							
Chowkidars	12 0 0	10 0 0			22 0 0	29	638 0 0
						Total: A+B-C	3456 12 0

A plus B plus C: Total for the year: - Rs.41469/-

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Establishment – Temporary – S. Kanaradt – Prevention of Smuggling of rice – Extra Staff –

Ref:- From the Bd of Rev(Cs) No 6205/ws-A1 Dt/ 23-1-1945

It is observed that the Coll. of S. Kanara has calculated the cost of the extra staff appointed for the prevention of Smuggling of rice, on the basis of the minimum rates of pay. The Bd is requested to adopt the basis of average rates of pay of the posts plus leave & pensionary charges when reviewing the financial results.

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To the Bd of Rev(Cs)
Copy to the Coll. of Kanara

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Extract from Home Dept. File No.29340 II-7 dated 29-11-44. re: Police - South Kanara district - Illicit transport of foodgrains Prevention - Patrol staff - Temporary additional Police and Rev. Staff - Employment - Sanctioned.

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Fin. (E. 1.)

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(2) Please see para 2 of Finance note on page 5 n.f. of G.O. No. 4690 Dev. dated 2.11.1944. It is not known what amount will be realised by way of surcharge (i.e. addition of one anna per murra to the selling price). The entire staff may be taken into account for purposes of surcharge and the amendment suggested by Home at 'X' on page 4 N.F. may be accepted. The Bd. of Rev. may be requested to examine now whether the proposed surchar will meet the cost on account of the whole staff.

(2-A) The Spl.pay of Rs.25 p.m. proposed for the Inspr. may be agreed to.

(3) The staff sanctioned in the G.O.Ms. at (B) was estimated to cost Rs.22,972 /- per annum and the proposal was treated as a 'New Service'. Taking into account this supplemental demand, the total extra cost on account of this staff works out to over Rs.25,000 per annum and under the section 93 situation the prior sanction of the Governor-General is necessary. As however, the scheme is urgently required to prevent deterioration in the food situation such sanction may be presumed. Development may be requested to include this in the monthly statement of cost forwarde to the Governor-General for post-facto approval of the Govr. Genl.

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4. Further action with reference to paras (2) and (3) of the Fin. Dept. note on p. 5 ante has to be taken in Dev. The case may be sent to Dev. after the issue of orders in this case.

J.R.B.
21-11-44.

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The order on pp. 1-2 ante has issued. The case may now be sent to Dev. with reference to para 4 of the office note on p. 7. ante.

J.R.B.
28-11-44.

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U.O Note no' 70808 FI/44-1 dt 1-12-44

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W.r.t. K at pp 1 above the following note may be sent by Fin. for inclusion in the statement of expenditure requiring higher sanction. Action with ref to M. on pp 1 above will be taken after issue of the note below.

Sub:- New items of expr. not being Capital expr. exceeding one lakh rupees non recurring or Rs 25,000 recurring Sanctioned in Nov. 1944

Ultimate cost.		Cost in 1944-45	
Recurring.	Non recurring.	Recurring	Non recurring.
Rs 27,964*	—	(X) 9321	—

It was believed that.

~~It was established beyond doubt that the present scarcity~~ of rice in ~~Cochin etc.~~ S. Kanara dt was very largely due to the measure in a large ~~scarcity~~ smuggling of rice outside the dt, ~~Smuggling took place~~ not only by ~~not only beyond the land frontiers~~ but also by sea to places the existing ~~preventive staff was~~ found inadequate to watch both the land routes and the long sea board ~~coast~~ ~~It was~~ It was considered found quite essential to strengthen the staff adequately to put down ~~smuggling~~ smuggling. Hence Twenty ~~Nine~~ Police constables, one Circle Inspector of Police, three lower-division clerks, twenty one peons, four chowkidars & eighty one village menials have been sanctioned for the purpose. The cost of the addl. staff works out to Rs 27,964/- per annum & the cost during 1944-45 will be about Rs 9,321.

(X) 1/3 of 27,964

(E) 1/-9-44

To Finance Department

30/11/44.

Sd/- 30/11/44

Sd/- 2/12/44

W.r.t. A alone a draft OM is submitted below for approval

1.12.44

C5711 FI/45 from the Bd of Rev(CS) No. 6205/111-A-1 D/23.1.45

Submitting for perusal & pp. 3-6 C.F.
W.r.t. M on p.1 ante Fin. may see the Bd's report.

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Dev 26/1/45

Fin 27/1/45

Dev I o No 70808 FI/45
Finance Accts B

(pages 3-6 C.F. may be perused)

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVT. BOMBAY
27 JAN 1945
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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M on p.1 above and the Board's Refce. and enclosure on pp.3-6 C.F. may be perused.

According to the Collector's report, the cost of the entire staff is Rs 30,550 p.a. while the proceeds of the surcharge of one anna per mura are estimated at Rs 37,500. Thus, though the surcharge proceeds are expected to cover the cost of the entire preventive staff, the Board observes that the real position can be known only after the actuals results of the financial/are reviewed.

The cost of staff as on p.6 C.F. has been calculated on the basis of a minimum rates of pay omitting also leave and pension contribution. The Board may be instructed to adopt the basis (of average rates plus leave pension charges) when reviewing the financial results.

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UNDER SECRETARY
1 FEB 1945
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Submitted for perusal & Fin's note above.
W.r.t. 'K' above a draft memo is submitted below for approval. After issue, the papers may be closed and added to those in (13)

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(Issued as Memo No 70808 F2/44-6 Dt 1/2/45)

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